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PART II-A

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATIONS

The 21st December, 2006.

No.TPT.134/89/546.—In exercise of the powers conferred under Clause (iii) of the proviso to Rule 108 of the Central Motor Vehicle Rules, 1989, the State Government is pleased to specify that a flickering red light with a bulb of not more than 7 (seven) Watt power may be fitted on the roof top of the recovery Vans.

P. W. INGTY,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Transport Department.

The 9th January, 2007.

No.TPT.115/82/Pt/136.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 200 of the Motor Vehicle Act 1988, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to empower the Commissioner of Transport, Joint Commissioner of Transport, Assistant Commissioner of Transport, District Transport Officers, Enforcement Inspectors of Transport Department and Police Officers not below the rank of Sub-Inspectors to compound offences punishable under section 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183 (I), 190(2) and 194 of the aforesaid Act for amounts not lesser than fifty percent of the maximum fine prescribed in respect of the offences involved.

This notification supersedes the Government Notification No.TPT.115/82/Pt/1/18, dated 29th February, 1996.

H. L. PYRTUH,

Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Transport Department.

The 4th January, 2007.

No.RDA.8/2006/36.—Whereas it appears to the Government of Meghalaya that the land is required to be taken by the Government at the public expenses for a public purpose viz. for construction of MPRO Repeater Station in the village Nongpoh District, Ri-Bhoi it is hereby declared that the above purposes, land measuring more or less 1600 Sq. Metres of standard measurement, shown below :-

North :- Raid Land (40 Mts)

South :- Raid Land (40 Mts)

East :- Raid Land (40 Mts)

West :- Raid Land (40 Mts)

is required within the aforesaid of Nongpoh.

This Declaration is made under the provision of Section-6 of Act I of 1894 as amended by Act 68 of 1984 to all whom it may concern.

The Maps/Plans relating to the above plot of land may be inspected in the Office of the Deputy Commissioner/Collector, Ri-Bhoi District, Nongpoh.

Nothing in this Declaration will be considered to apply to land which is resumable for the said purpose under the terms of the lease and which the Government elect to resume instead of acquiring under the Act.

S. R. WALLANG,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Revenue & Disaster Management Department.

The 6th December, 2006.

No.LBG.132/82/Pt/125.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 28 of the Meghalaya Shops & Establishment Act 2003 (Meghalaya Act No. 4 of 2004) the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to suspend the operation of Section 4,5 and 6 of the said Act throughout the State of Meghalaya for the period from 28th November, 2006 to the 25th December, 2006 for Christmas Festival, subject to the conditions that compensation for the overtime work and weekly holidays should be paid to the persons concerned.

H. MARWEIN,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Labour Department.

The 13th December, 2006.

No.IRRI(E)17/2003/Pt.I/36.—Pending amendment of the Meghalaya Irrigation Engineering Service Rules, 1999 the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to include the post of Chief Engineer (I) in the Senior Grade at Rule 4(1) (i) (a) and Schedule I and at Annexure II of the Meghalaya Irrigation Engineering Service Rules 1999.

P. KHARKONGOR,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Agriculture, etc. Departments.

The 15th December, 2006.

No.ERTS(T)37/2005/143.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 112 of the Meghalaya Value Added Tax Act, 2003 (Act No. 2 of 2005) as amended, and in supersession of the previous Government Notification No. ERTS (T) 37/2005/139, dated 9th November, 2006, the State Government is pleased to revise the rate of tax in respect of items specified in Schedule V of the said Act as follows :-

1. In the existing Schedule V, the figure "6" appearing in Column 3 of the Schedule relating to rate of tax against item "Medicines and drugs including vaccines, syringes and dressings, medicated ointments produced under drugs license, light liquid paraffin of IP grade" appearing in Sl. No. 5, shall be substituted by the figure "4".

This Notification shall be deemed to have come into force from 9th November, 2006.

J. LYNDOH,

Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Excise, Registration, Taxation & Stamps Department.

The 21st December, 2006.

No.ERTS(E)2/2001/Pt.I/3.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 36 of the Meghalaya Excise Act (Assam Excise Act I of 1910 as adopted by Meghalaya). The Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to make the following amendments to the Meghalaya Excise Rules, (Assam Excise Rules 1945 as adopted and amended by Meghalaya) hereinafter referred to as the Principal Rules namely.—

Short title and commencement:- 1. (a) These rules may be called the Meghalaya Excise (Amendment) Rules 2006.

(b) They shall come into force with immediate effect.

Amendment of Rule 247. 2. In Rule 247 of the Principal Rules the following shall be substituted namely.

247 - Fees for Temporary Bar license:- (1) Prescribes the amount of fees payable for temporary Bar license for theatres, Cinemas, race meets, social gatherings and other places of amusement at the following scale :

<u>Time</u>	<u>Existing Rates</u>	<u>New Rates</u>
Upto 11 P.M.	Rs. 5/-	Rs.1,500/-
11P.M.to 1 A.M.	Rs. 10/-	Rs. 2,500/-

The license for temporary bar license will be granted on the basis of the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner on a case to case basis.

B. K. DEV VARMA,

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Excise, Registration, Taxation & Stamps Departments.

The 8th January, 2007.

No.IRRI(G)60/99/348.—Whereas, Departmental Proceedings was drawn up against Shri S. Khound retired Executive Engineer (I), Tura in view of the complaint by MPRF and on the basis of the Inquiry Report submitted by Inquiry Officer (Addl. Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (R) Tura).

and whereas, Personnel Department had indicated that there is no Bar to initiate Departmental Proceedings after retirement (Shri S. Khound retired on 1st October, 2002),

and whereas, Personnel Department had allowed Department to appoint the Commissioner for Departmental Enquiries (CDE) as the Inquiry Officer in the above case and a notification was issued on 6th February, 2006 vide No.IRRI(E)60/99/264,

and whereas, on conclusion of the Departmental Proceedings the report of the Inquiry Officer found that the charges cannot be proved,

and whereas, since no loss to Government has been proved, action under the pension Rules is not possible in any case,

Now, therefore the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order that the Departmental Proceedings drawn up against Shri S. Khound is treated as closed and the Officer is hereby exonerated.

BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF MEGHALAYA.

P. KHARKONGOR,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Agriculture, etc. Departments.

The 8th January, 2007.

No.IRRI(G)60/99/349.—Whereas, Departmental Proceedings was drawn up against Shri B. Rehman retired Executive Engineer (I), Williamnagar in view of the complaint by MPRF and on the basis of the Inquiry Report submitted by Inquiry Officer (Addl. Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (R) Tura).

and whereas, Personnel Department had indicated that there is no Bar to initiate Departmental Proceedings after retirement (Shri B. Rehman retired on 28th February, 2004),

and whereas, Personnel Department had allowed Department to appoint the Commissioner for Departmental Enquiries (CDE) as the Inquiry Officer in the above case and a notification was issued on 6th February, 2006 vide No.IRRI(E)60/99/265,

and whereas, on conclusion of the Departmental Proceedings the report of the Inquiry Officer found that the charges cannot be proved,

and whereas, since no loss to Government has been proved, action under the pension Rules is not possible in any case,

Now, therefore the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order that the Departmental Proceedings drawn up against Shri B. Rehman is treated as closed and the Officer is hereby exonerated.

BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF MEGHALAYA.

P. KHARKONGOR,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Agriculture, etc. Departments.

The 3rd January, 2007.

AMENDMENT

No.GAB.1/2005/37.—The Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to make the following rules to amend the Meghalaya State Guest Rules, 1991, namely:-

1. **Short Title and Commencement**—(1) These rules may be called the Meghalaya State Guest (Amendment) Rules, 2007.
(2) They shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Annexure - III**—For the existing Annexure - III of the Meghalaya State Guest Rules, 1991 (as amended in 2005) the following shall be substituted namely,-

“ANNEXURE-III”

Visiting Dignitary.	- Department of Government of Meghalaya responsible for all arrangements.
President, Vice President, Prime Minister Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Minister without portfolio and Chief Ministers of other States Ambassadors, High Commissioners other representatives of Foreign Governments.	- Political Department.
Minister of Agriculture.	- Agriculture and Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Department.
Minister of Atomic Energy & Power.	- Power Department.
Minister of Commerce, Industries, Heavy Industries, Steel.	- Industries Department.
Minister of coal & Mines.	- Mining & Geology Department.
Minister of Road Transport and Highways.	- Public Works Department (R&B).
Minister of Environment & Forest.	- Forest Department.
Minister of Communication & Information Technology.	- Communication Department.
Minister of Defence, External Affairs and Home Affairs.	- Home Department.
Minister of Human Resource Development.	- Education Department.
Minister of Social Welfare Social Justice & Empowerment Women and Children. Union Minister Tribal Affairs, Minister Minority Affairs Department.	- Social Welfare Department.
Minister of Finance.	- Finance Department.
Minister of Health & Family Welfare.	- Health & Family Welfare Department.
Minister of Civil Supplies, Food & Supply and Petroleum and (Natural Gas).	- Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department.
Minister of Information & Broadcasting.	- Information & Public Relations Department.
Minister of Irrigation.	- Agriculture Department.

Minister of Labour.	- Labour Department.
Minister of Law, Justice & Company Affairs, Chief Justice and P. Judges of Supreme Court of India and High Courts.	- Law Department.
Minister of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension.	- Personnel & A.R. Department.
Minister of Rural Development.	- Community & Rural Development Department.
Minister of Planning, DONER , Deputy Chairman, Members of Planning Commission.	- Planning Department.
Minister of Parliamentary Affairs.	- Parliamentary Affairs Department.
Minister of Programme Implementation.	- Programme Implementation Department.
Minister of Railway, Shipping & Transport and Civil Aviation.	- Transport Department.
Minister of Science & Technology.	- Science & Technology Department.
Minister of Tourism & Culture.	- Tourism Department & Arts & Culture Department.
Minister of Housing.	- Housing Department.
Minister of Textiles.	- Sericulture Department.
Minister of Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation.	- Urban Affairs Department.
Minister of Youth Affairs & Sports.	- Sports & Youth Affairs Department.
Chief Election Commissioner and Delimitation Commission.	- Election Department.
Secretaries or Dignitaries of above Ministries declared as State Guests.	- Same as right hand Column of respective Ministries.
Any State Guest not covered by any Department.	- G.A.D. (State Protocol Officer to be the Escort Officer).

Y. TSERING,

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
General Administration Department.